## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS TEXARKANA DIVISION

UNITED STATES, ex rel.	8	
ELIZABETH ANN WRIGHT AND	§	
<b>BRADLEY SLOAN WRIGHT, as</b>	§	
<b>Independent Co-Executors of the Estate</b>	§	
Of Harrold E. (Gene) Wright, Deceased	§	
Plaintiffs,	§	
	§	
vs.	§	CIVIL ACTION No: 5:03cv264
	§	
AGIP PETROLEUM Co., et al.,	§	
Defendants.	§	JUDGE DAVID FOLSOM

#### ORDER APPROVING STIPULATION FOR AGREED DISTRIBUTION FROM STATUTORY FEES ACCOUNT

The Court hereby approves the Stipulation for Agreed Distribution from Statutory Fees Account ("Stipulation") attached hereto as Exhibit 1 and filed with the Court on March 30, 2010. The Court further authorizes the finance clerk to pay directly to each Party listed in Schedule A of the Stipulation the amount allocated to such Party in Schedule A of the Stipulation.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

SIGNED this 31st day of March, 2010.

DAVID FOLSOM

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

## **EXHIBIT 1**

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### STIPULATION FOR AGREED DISTRIBUTION FROM STATUTORY FEES ACCOUNT

- 1. This stipulation is made pursuant to the Confidential Agreement Regarding Funds in the Registry of the Court ("Agreement") in *United States of America, ex rel. Harrold E.* (Gene) Wright v. AGIP Petroleum Co., et al Case No. 5:03CV264, in the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Texas, Texarkana Division. The terms used below have the meanings given in the Agreement.
- 2. Within ten days after actual receipt of this proposed stipulation, each Recipient shall respond in writing or by email and inform the Proposer whether the Recipient accepts, rejects, requests a modification, or requests additional information as to the proposed stipulation, and provide a copy of such response to all other Recipients. Any Recipient who fails to so respond within ten days after actual receipt of this proposed stipulation waives any right to challenge the proposed stipulation (Agreement at § 5.4).
- 3. If no Recipient rejects the stipulation, requests a modification of the stipulation, or requests additional information regarding the stipulation within 10 days after receipt of the stipulation, the Proposer shall notify the Recipients that the stipulation is final and shall file the Stipulation and request that the Clerk distribute the funds in accordance with the Stipulation. Upon such filing and the request for distribution of funds, the Clerk shall distribute \$7,110,000.00 from the Statutory Fees Account in direct proportion to out-of-pocket expenses incurred by current counsel, former counsel, and the Relator. The total amount to be distributed pursuant to this stipulation is \$7,110,000.00. The Clerk shall issue checks drawn on the Statutory Fees Account made payable to the Proposer and Recipients in the amounts set forth in the attached Schedule A.

- 4. Except as expressly provided in the Agreement, the Proposer and Recipients shall keep strictly confidential the terms of this stipulation.
- 5. The Proposer and Recipients reserve all rights with regard to the terms of any future stipulation(s).
- 6. Relator reserves the right to audit the claimed expenses and to request reimbursement of any expenses which are not verified through the audit process.
- 7. To accept this proposed stipulation, sign below and return the signed document to the Proposer.

IT IS SO STIPULATED.

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Schedule A			
FIRM	AMOUNT		
Phillips & Cohen	\$88,023.72		
Pat Holloway	\$133,156.61		
Hosie Rice	\$203,104.44		
Tunnel & Cox	\$4,872.86		
Branch Law Firm	\$34,294.03		
Claude Welch	\$13,876.46		
Cunningham Bounds	\$947,295.41		
Mark Carmen	\$3,099.64		
Patton Roberts	\$3,617.59		
Spence Law Firm	\$68,783.45		
Wright Estate	\$24,520.40		
Kellogg Huber	\$2,379,916.31		
Nix Patterson & Roach	\$3,205,439.08		